<u>REMARKS</u>

The present application is being filed as a continuation of application serial

number 09/932,505, filed August 17, 2001, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b).

Applicant respectfully requests consideration of the present application as amended. In

this amendment, claims 1-66 and 75-112 have been canceled. Therefore claims 67-74 are

pending in this application.

Deposit Account Authorization

Authorization is hereby given to charge our Deposit Account No. 02-2666 for any

charges that may be due.

If the Examiner determines the prompt allowance of these claims could be

facilitated by a telephone conference, the Examiner is invited to contact Mimi Diemmy

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Respectfully submitted,

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